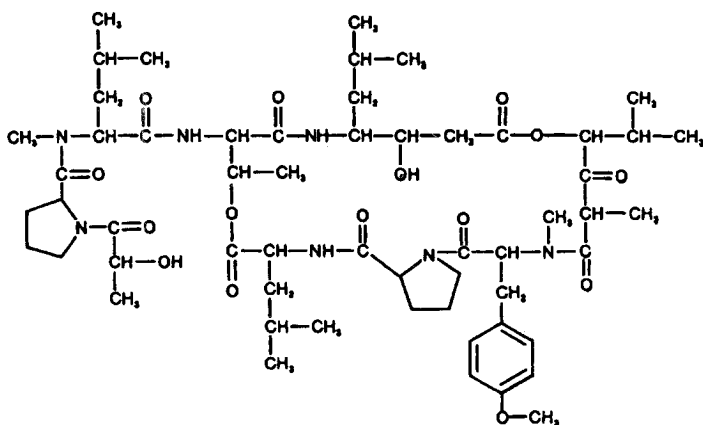


DIDEMNIN B

NSC - 325319



Chemical Name: *N*-[1-[*N*-[4-[[3-Hydroxy-4-[[*N*-[*N*-[1-(2-hydroxy-1-oxopropyl)-*L*-prolyl]-*N*-methyl-*L*-leucyl]-*L*-threonyl]amino-5-methyl-1-oxoheptyl]oxy]-2,5-dimethyl-1,3-dioxohexyl]-*L*-leucyl]-*L*-prolyl]-*N,O*-dimethyl-*L*-tyrosine, ϕ -lactone

CAS Registry Number: 77327-05-0

Molecular Formula: $C_{57}H_{89}N_7O_{15}$

M.W.: 1112.0

Approximate Solubility:

(mg/mL)

H ₂ O	< 0.1
CH ₃ OH	> 100
CHCl ₃	> 100
DMSO	> 100
C ₂ H ₅ OH	> 100
CH ₂ Cl ₂	> 100

Stability:

Bulk:

As a bulk chemical, didemnin B is found to be stable at 25 ± 2 °C for 3 weeks. At the end of 4 weeks, approximately 2% decomposition has occurred.

When stored at 45 °C, didemnin B appeared stable for 2 weeks; after this time, it slowly decomposed to an approximate 7% loss at the end of 4 weeks (HPLC).

Solution:

As a 6 mg/mL 50% aqueous ethanol solution at room temperature (25 ± 2 °C) didemnin B appeared stable for at least 26 hours (HPLC).

Ultraviolet Absorption:

(MeOH)

λ_{\max}	ϵ
284 ± 2 nm(sh)	1,455 - 1,490
277 ± 2 nm	1,705 - 1,750
220 ± 2 nm(sh)	17,500 - 19,199
205 ± 2 nm	29,100 - 29,700

High Performance Liquid Chromatography:

Column: Whatman Partisil 5 ODS,
250 mm x 4.6 mm i.d.

Mobile Phase: CH₃OH/H₂O/triethylamine, 75/25/0.01
(adjusted to pH 7.5 with acetic acid)

Flow Rate: 1.0 mL/min

Detection: UV at 275 nm

Sample Preparation: 3 mg/mL in internal standard solution

Internal Standard: 1 mL hexaphenone per liter methanol

Retention Volume: 19 mL (NSC-325319)
10 mL (I.S.)

Toxicity Data:

Rat(iv): LD₅₀: 860 µg/kg
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Mouse(iv): LD₅₀: 1530 µg/kg
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Dog (iv): LD50: 418 g/kg
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